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In re Application of  
Merton BernfieldApplication Number  
08/965,356Filed  
November 6, 1999For METHODS AND REAGENTS  
FOR REGULATING OBESITYGroup Art Unit  
1632Examiner  
A. Baker

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the examiner dated, February 1, 2000, rejecting the following claims: 1, 3-6, 10 and 12-15

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 1.17(b))

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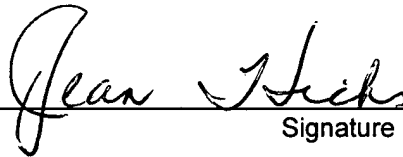
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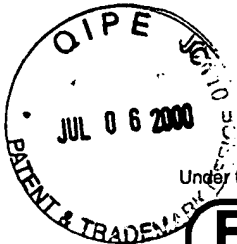
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